

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS, IRELAND,
1882.

GENERAL ABSTRACTS
SHOWING
THE ACREAGE UNDER CROPS,
ALSO THE
NUMBER AND DESCRIPTION OF LIVE STOCK
IN
EACH COUNTY AND PROVINCE.
1881-1882.

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AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS, IRELAND, 1882.

TO

HIS EXCELLENCY JOHN POYNTZ, EARL SPENCER, K.G.,
&c., &c., &c.

LORD LIEUTENANT-GENERAL AND GENERAL GOVERNOR OF IRELAND.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,

I have the honour to submit the Annual General Abstracts, which give, by Counties and Provinces, the acreage under Crops, and the number and description of Live Stock in 1882.

The materials necessary for the compilation of these Statistics were obtained by members of the Royal Irish Constabulary and Metropolitan Police, who discharged this important duty with zeal and efficiency.

The Abstracts have been carefully compiled from summaries made by the Enumerators, and may in some slight degree differ from the revised figures which will be subsequently published.

The following Table shows, by Provinces, the total extent under Crops, Grass, Fallow, Woods and Plantations, and Bog and Marsh, Barren Mountain Land, Water, Roads, Fences, &c., in 1881 and 1882:—

PROVINCES.	Total Extent under Crops including Meadow and Clover.	Grass.	Fallow.	Woods and Plantations.	Bog and Marsh, Barren Mountain Land, Water, Roads, Fences, &c.†	Total.
	Acrea.	Acrea.	Acrea.	Acrea.	Acrea.	Acrea.
LEINSTER, { 1881, 1,439,381 { 1882, 1,402,016	2,567,796 2,596,088	6,445 8,053	99,362 102,203	725,526 730,150	}	4,838,510
MUNSTER, { 1881, 1,271,116 { 1882, 1,246,394	3,261,115 3,248,287	2,821 4,678	113,210 111,416	1,286,420 1,324,007		
ULSTER, { 1881, 1,779,480 { 1882, 1,743,620	2,190,809 2,237,351	10,169 4,877	62,968 63,806	1,278,895 1,273,167	}	5,322,321
CONNAUGHT, { 1881, 705,398 { 1882, 689,018	2,055,704 2,028,333	1,769 3,755	53,163 52,163	1,417,206 1,459,951		
TOTAL, { 1881, 5,195,375 { 1882, 5,081,048	10,075,424 10,110,079	21,204 21,263	328,703 329,088	4,708,047 4,787,275	}	20,328,753 †

* The Returns for the counties of Clare and Limerick not having yet been received, the corresponding Returns for 1881 have been adopted in their stead.

† Including 133,935 acres under water.

‡ Exclusive of 494,726 acres under the larger rivers, lakes, and tideways.

Division of
Land.

The total extent under crops in 1882 was 5,081,048 acres, being a decrease on the extent in 1881 of 114,327 acres, or 2·2 per cent. The decrease in Leinster was 37,365 acres, or 2·6 per cent.; in Munster, 24,722 acres, or 1·9 per cent.; in Ulster, 35,860 acres, or 2·0 per cent.; and in Connaught, 16,380 acres or 2·3 per cent.

In 1881 the extent returned under grass was 10,075,424 acres, in 1882 the amount returned is 10,110,079 acres, being an increase of 34,655 acres; the extent returned as fallow in 1881 was 21,204 acres, and in 1882, 21,263 acres; the extent under woods and plantations in 1881 was 328,703 acres, against 329,088 acres in 1882; and the extent returned under "Bog and Marsh, Barren Mountain Land, &c.," in 1881 was 4,708,047 acres, against 4,787,275 acres in 1882; of the acreage thus returned in 1882 1,818,958 acres have been entered by the enumerators as bog and marsh, and 2,095,448 acres as barren mountain land.

TOTAL EXTENT UNDER CROPS.

Tillage.

The extent of land under tillage in 1881 was 3,194,346 acres, in 1882 the amount returned is 3,119,275 acres, being a decrease of 75,071 acres. In Leinster the decrease amounted to 13,743 acres; in Munster, to 10,762 acres; in Ulster, to 40,559 acres, and in Connaught, to 10,007 acres.

Cereal Crops.—Compared with 1881 there appears a decrease of 1,074 acres in the acreage under wheat; of 22,650 acres in barley; and of 696 acres in beans and pease. There is an increase of 3,992 acres in oats; and of 72 acres in bere and rye; leaving a net decrease of 20,356 acres in the extent under cereal crops.

Green Crops.—The acreage under potatoes has decreased by 17,374 acres; turnips, by 1,234 acres; mangel wurzel and beet root, by 8,532 acres; carrots, parsnips, and other green crops, by 737 acres; and vetches and rape by 1,547 acres. The extent under cabbage increased by 8,352 acres; leaving a net decrease of 21,072 acres in the extent under green crops.

Flax.—The acreage under flax in 1881 was 147,145 acres, and in 1882 the extent returned under this crop is only 113,502 acres, being a decrease of 33,643 acres.

Meadow
and Clover.

In 1881 there were 2,001,029 acres returned under meadow and clover, in 1882 the extent returned under this crop amounts to 1,961,773 acres, being a decrease of 39,256 acres.

The following statements show the acreage under each crop in 1881 and 1882, with the increase or decrease in the latter year:—

	CEREAL CROPS.		Increase in 1882. Acres.	Decrease in 1882. Acres.
	1881. Acres.	1882. Acres.		
WHEAT,	133,794	132,720	—	1,074
OATS,	1,383,312	1,397,304	3,992	—
BARLEY,	210,093	187,443	—	22,650
BERE AND RYE,	8,062	8,134	72	—
BEANS AND PEASE, . . .	11,914	11,218	—	696
TOTAL,	1,777,175	1,756,819	—	20,356
<i>Decrease in Cereal Crops in 1882, . . . 20,356 Acres.</i>				

GREEN CROPS.

	1881.	1882.	Increase in 1882.	Decrease in 1882.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
POTATOES,	855,203	837,919	—	17,374
TURRIPS,	295,212	293,978	—	1,234
MANGEL WURREL AND BEET ROOT,	44,838	36,306	—	8,532
CABBAGE,	28,498	36,848	8,352	—
CARROTS, PARSNIPS, AND OTHER GREEN CROPS, . . }	31,404	30,667	—	737
VETCHES AND RAPE, . . .	14,793	13,236	—	1,547
TOTAL,	1,270,026	1,248,954	—	21,072

Decrease in Green Crops in 1882, . . . 21,072 Acres.

GENERAL SUMMARY OF CEREAL, GREEN CROPS, &c.

	1881.	1882.	Increase in 1882.	Decrease in 1882.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
CEREAL CROPS,	1,777,175	1,756,819	—	20,356
GREEN CROPS,	1,270,026	1,248,954	—	21,072
FLAX,	147,145	113,502	—	33,643
TOTAL UNDER TILLAGE, . .	3,194,346	3,119,275	—	75,071
MEADOW AND CLOVER, . . .	2,001,029	1,961,773	—	39,256

Total Decrease in the total extent of Land under Crops in 1882, 114,327 Acres.

Table showing the area under the several Crops in each year from 1878 to 1882, inclusive:—

Crops.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.*	Extent under Crops, 1878 to 1882.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	
Wheat,	154,041	157,511	148,706	153,794	152,720	
Oats,	1,412,845	1,350,261	1,361,928	1,393,312	1,397,304	
Barley,	243,604	254,392	218,016	210,093	187,443	
Bere and Rye,	11,451	9,652	7,668	8,062	8,134	
Beans and Pease,	9,580	10,151	10,157	11,914	11,218	
Potatoes,	646,712	642,671	620,651	635,293	637,919	
Turrips,	330,243	314,697	302,893	295,212	293,978	
Mangel Wurzel & Beet Root,	45,219	51,155	41,515	44,838	36,306	
Cabbage,	28,498	33,438	36,402	28,496	36,848	
Carrots, Parsnips, and other Green Crops, }	35,139	34,218	32,061	31,404	30,667	
Vetches and Rape,	21,052	18,511	13,918	14,783	13,236	
Flax,	111,817	128,021	157,540	147,145	113,502	
Total under Tillage,	3,281,201	3,184,578	3,171,259	3,194,346	3,119,275	
Meadow and Clover,	1,942,804	1,937,253	1,909,825	2,001,029	1,961,773	
Total Extent under Crops, . .	5,204,005	5,121,833	5,081,084	5,195,375	5,081,048	

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Live Stock,
1881 and
1882.

RETURNS OF LIVE STOCK

It appears from the following Table that between 1881 and 1882 there was an *increase* in the number of cattle amounting to 30,252, and in the number of pigs amounting to 334,103; whilst there was a *decrease* in the number of sheep amounting to 184,692, and in the number of horses and mules amounting to 9,029.

Table showing the Number of Live Stock in each year from 1873 to 1882, inclusive:—

Number of
Live Stock,
1873 to
1882.

Year.	Horses and Mules.	Asses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Goats.	Poultry.
1873.	552,538	177,779	4,147,162	4,484,529	1,044,484	242,689	11,861,158
1874.	547,372	189,430	4,124,758	4,441,838	1,039,136	256,753	12,063,375
1875.	548,119	189,355	4,115,298	4,254,927	1,252,656	270,691	12,133,188
1876.	556,951	183,210	4,117,440	4,069,157	1,425,942	264,009	13,018,500
1877.	575,488	185,842	3,997,598	3,987,598	1,468,712	267,287	13,565,963
1878.	586,415	180,464	3,915,120	4,095,184	1,269,399	278,974	13,711,174
1879.	596,399	188,839	4,867,778	4,917,963	1,072,185	276,845	13,782,633
1880.	582,139	186,397	5,921,517	5,562,463	859,369	265,789	13,450,182
1881.	574,745	187,143	5,958,595	5,346,105	1,095,830	268,678	13,972,425
1882*	565,717	187,871	5,986,847	5,071,493	1,429,930	268,248	13,998,651
Difference in Numbers between 1881 and 1882.	Decrease, 9,029	Increase, 728	Increase, 30,252	Decrease, 184,692	Increase, 334,103	Decrease, 2,830	Increase, 26,235

Scutching
Mills, 1882.

Scutching Mills.—In connexion with the area under Flax, I beg to state that the number of Scutching Mills enumerated in 1882 is as follows:—In the province of Ulster, 1,113; Munster, 18; Connaught, 12; and Leinster, 7; making a total in Ireland of 1,150.

I have the honour to be

Your Excellency's faithful servant,

THOMAS W. GRIMSHAW,

Registrar-General.

General Register Office,

Charlemont House, Dublin,

6th September, 1882.

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GENERAL ABSTRACTS
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1881-1882.

TABLE showing, in Statute Acres, the extent of Land under

Number.	PROVINCES AND COUNTIES, WITH THEIR AREAS IN STATUTE ACRES.	EXTENT OF LAND UNDER						
		Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Bere and Rye.	Beans and Peas.	Potatoes.	Turneps.
	LEINSTER:	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1	Carlow, . . . {1881, 221,294 acres, {1882,	3,409 3,223	20,208 21,837	5,395 5,380	4 10	5 4	9,856 8,779	4,972 4,924
2	Dublin, . . . {1881, 226,895 acres, {1882,	5,599 8,840	14,212 14,086	2,168 2,018	36 71	78 66	9,881 9,289	2,045 2,454
3	Kildare, . . . {1881, 418,497 acres, {1882,	4,125 4,591	24,206 24,091	13,630 11,359	156 293	8 3	9,346 8,793	11,513 11,106
4	Kilkenny, . . . {1881, 507,254 acres, {1882,	11,843 10,077	35,878 35,674	17,443 16,168	68 4	2 1	10,258 17,302	8,943 9,749
5	King's, . . . {1881, 493,019 acres, {1882,	1,437 3,702	23,082 24,348	15,437 12,474	308 426	1 5	15,753 15,569	9,889 9,458
6	Longford, . . . {1881, 257,221 acres, {1882,	307 313	18,870 18,101	29 40	196 180	8 9	13,102 12,484	2,621 2,457
7	Louth & Drogheda, } 1881, Co. of Town. } 1882, 201,618 acres, }	3,682 4,536	26,544 26,633	20,213 17,589	14 30	392 350	11,358 11,573	9,906 10,118
8	Meath, . . . {1881, 578,247 acres, {1882,	8,119 2,783	32,099 31,202	1,844 1,452	98 100	18 25	12,711 12,071	7,045 6,724
9	Queen's, . . . {1881, 424,854 acres, {1882,	4,419 7,686	23,614 24,683	21,326 19,691	45 13	31	16,656 17,139	11,745 12,788
10	Westmeath, . . {1881, 434,017 acres, {1882,	147 157	22,837 23,317	427 250	57 128	5 4	11,771 11,815	5,519 5,142
11	Wexford, . . . {1881, 575,700 acres, {1882,	7,833 7,363	45,768 47,497	45,151 41,028	42 73	5,505 4,575	22,451 21,698	17,818 17,768
12	Wicklow, . . . {1881, 499,894 acres, {1882,	3,397 3,366	25,209 25,579	1,192 880	2 1	5 5	11,574 10,910	5,237 4,755
	Total of LEINSTER, {1881, 4,638,510 acres, {1882,	49,117 54,636	312,326 317,048	144,255 128,339	1,024 1,319	6,053 5,058	162,465 156,412	98,024 97,430
	Increase or Decrease in LEINSTER in 1882, {	In- crease, 5,519	In- crease, 4,722	De- crease, 15,916	In- crease, 295	De- crease, 997	De- crease, 4,053	De- crease, 585

Crops, for each County and Province, in the Years 1881 and 1882.

CROPS, IN STATUTE ACRES.									Years.	Population in 1881.	Number.
Mangel Wartzel and Beet Root.	Carrots, Parsnips, and other Green Crops.	Cabbage.	Vetches and Rape.	Flax.	Total under Tillage.	Meadow and Clover.	Total Extent under Crops.				
Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
863	398	543	26	.	45,680	31,275	76,955	1881	}	46,568	1
691	417	797	17	.	47,079	32,348	79,327	1882			
652	2,087	996	109	.	37,815	50,909	88,724	1881	}	418,910	2
661	2,062	1,030	80	.	38,607	47,164	85,761	1882			
1,441	743	245	161	.	65,571	55,389	120,960	1881	}	75,804	3
1,196	734	254	128	10	62,558	51,310	113,868	1882			
1,689	801	1,373	131	.	97,227	62,077	159,304	1881	}	99,531	4
1,249	448	1,498	73	4	92,247	58,784	151,031	1882			
1,749	939	413	463	2	69,444	50,308	119,752	1881	}	72,652	5
1,230	714	550	430	10	68,911	48,345	117,256	1882			
490	536	686	86	236	36,967	37,899	74,866	1881	}	61,069	6
399	504	779	79	113	35,438	38,031	71,469	1882			
588	697	128	283	1,306	74,809	22,582	97,391	1881	}	77,684	7
492	549	196	190	902	73,189	23,345	96,514	1882			
1,446	1,358	393	235	137	60,441	85,893	146,334	1881	}	87,469	8
1,082	1,389	358	280	59	57,525	82,572	140,097	1882			
2,149	529	477	342	.	81,333	58,498	139,831	1881	}	73,124	9
1,930	543	745	167	7	85,391	55,547	140,938	1882			
1,257	733	407	320	5	43,385	54,360	97,745	1881	}	71,798	10
929	905	602	275	4	43,528	53,091	96,619	1882			
3,144	1,115	1,255	109	2	150,291	59,695	209,986	1881	}	123,854	11
2,909	812	1,604	183	7	145,508	58,589	204,097	1882			
777	600	425	47	.	48,265	59,168	107,433	1881	}	70,366	12
637	543	670	78	.	47,434	57,605	105,039	1882			
16,245	10,336	7,283	2,312	1,688	811,128	623,253	1,439,381	1881	}	Total of LEINSTER, 1,278,989	
13,407	9,560	9,085	1,966	1,116	797,385	604,681	1,402,016	1882			
De- crease, 2,838	De- crease, 776	In- crease, 1,802	De- crease, 344	De- crease, 572	De- crease, 13,743	De- crease, 23,622	De- crease, 37,365	} Increase or Decrease in LEINSTER in 1882.			

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TABLE showing, in Statute Acres, the extent of Land under Crops

Number.	PROVINCES AND COUNTIES, WITH THEIR AREAS IN STATUTE ACRES.	EXTENT OF LAND UNDER						
		Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Beech and Rye.	Beans and Peas.	Potatoes.	Turnips.
	MUNSTER:	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1	Clare,* . . . { 1881, 768,285 acres, { 1882,	2,597 2,597	16,215 18,215	1,397 1,397	519 519	414 414	25,681 25,681	5,654 5,654
2	Cork, . . . { 1881, 1,838,921 acres, { 1882,	24,597 20,801	101,933 105,406	22,013 20,472	246 164	21 24	88,709 68,422	32,784 32,993
3	Kerry, . . . { 1881, 1,159,356 acres, { 1882,	1,032 1,493	27,533 26,345	4,129 3,305	472 289	3 22	31,178 29,643	5,713 5,302
4	Limerick,* . . { 1881, 662,973 acres, { 1882,	7,017 7,017	22,308 22,308	2,989 2,989	27 27	5 5	24,175 24,175	5,605 5,605
5	Tipperary, . . { 1881, 1,048,969 acres, { 1882,	14,858 15,423	54,348 57,333	17,306 15,829	170 175	11 13	34,430 34,938	19,892 20,173
6	Waterford, . . { 1881, 456,198 acres, { 1882,	8,553 5,968	30,043 31,361	1,345 940	29 27	4 12	14,458 14,442	6,535 6,835
	Total of Munster* { 1881, 5,934,682 acres, { 1882,	58,454 51,299	232,380 238,989	48,159 44,912	1,463 1,191	458 490	198,626 195,301	77,591 76,482
	Increase or Decrease in Munster in 1882, {	De- crease, 7,155	In- crease, 6,609	De- crease, 4,247	De- crease, 272	In- crease, 32	De- crease, 3,325	De- crease, 1,109
	CONNAUGHT:							
7	Galway, . . . { 1881, 1,502,862 acres, { 1882,	8,544 3,581	54,352 51,399	5,524 5,182	1,163 938	201 169	50,533 47,305	12,307 12,005
8	Leitrim, . . . { 1881, 376,212 acres, { 1882,	306 193	13,750 13,682	17 20	173 157	2 1	19,323 18,632	943 1,027
9	Mayo, . . . { 1881, 1,318,150 acres, { 1882,	1,046 1,085	62,830 61,125	1,303 1,043	1,897 1,925	36 48	56,728 54,394	8,427 7,960
10	Roscommon, . { 1881, 585,407 acres, { 1882,	452 637	28,329 27,640	270 194	247 474	4 33	28,901 28,457	4,543 5,144
11	Sligo, . . . { 1881, 451,129 acres, { 1882,	324 266	25,907 26,175	867 827	126 152	8 8	22,485 22,925	3,382 3,423
	Total of CONNAUGHT, { 1881, 4,253,240 acres { 1882,	5,672 5,842	185,168 180,021	7,981 7,266	3,598 3,841	242 249	177,970 171,933	29,582 29,554
	Increase or Decrease in CONNAUGHT in 1882, {	In- crease, 170	De- crease, 5,147	De- crease, 715	In- crease, 45	In- crease, 7	De- crease, 6,037	In- crease, 73

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for each County and Province, in the Years 1881 and 1882—continued.

CROPS, IN STATUTE ACRES.									Years.	Population in 1881.	Number.
Mangel Wurzel and Beet Root.	Carrots, Parsnips, and other Green Crops.	Cabbage.	Vetches and Rapa.	Flax.	Total under Tillage.	Meadow and Clover.	Total Extent under Crops.				
Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	MUNSTER:			
2,009	644	1,175	34	61	56,400	85,236	141,636	1881	}	141,457	
2,009	644	1,175	34	61	56,400	85,236	141,636	1882			
7,681	2,003	2,919	2,551	581	267,138	164,397	431,445	1881	}	495,607	
6,618	2,091	3,433	1,917	223	260,604	161,282	421,886	1882			
1,099	887	2,192	324	39	75,510	90,060	165,570	1881	}	201,039	
1,568	663	3,410	402	74	72,417	81,055	153,472	1882			
1,537	1,056	1,368	86	11	66,164	114,304	180,468	1881	}	180,632	
1,537	1,056	1,368	86	11	66,164	114,304	180,468	1882			
2,701	1,062	2,526	303	3	147,430	118,371	265,801	1881	}	199,812	
1,789	898	3,318	294	5	148,148	117,308	265,456	1882			
2,042	835	1,073	102	5	65,217	20,979	86,196	1881	}	112,708	
1,822	618	1,245	74	.	63,354	20,112	83,476	1882			
17,968	6,307	11,233	3,400	700	677,859	593,257	1,271,116	1881	}	Total of MUNSTER, 1,331,115.	
15,341	5,962	13,969	2,807	374	687,097	579,297	1,246,394	1882			
De-crease, 2,627	De-crease, 345	In-crease, 2,716	De-crease, 693	De-crease, 326	De-crease, 10,762	De-crease, 13,960	De-crease, 24,722	Increase or Decrease in MUNSTER in 1882.			
									CONNAUGHT:		
2,121	1,188	1,055	2,702	46	134,725	85,345	220,070	1881	}	242,005	
1,698	1,264	1,540	2,776	18	127,850	80,936	208,766	1882			
254	376	817	81	177	36,219	46,358	82,557	1881	}	90,372	
244	426	1,194	35	106	35,741	49,096	84,637	1882			
563	994	1,857	442	482	136,004	42,739	178,343	1881	}	245,212	
385	959	2,184	436	286	132,028	43,363	175,391	1882			
599	322	711	737	82	65,197	68,367	133,564	1881	}	132,490	
625	602	1,185	743	50	63,784	64,239	130,028	1882			
366	480	723	167	98	54,903	34,939	89,864	1881	}	111,578	
297	591	1,363	77	51	56,260	33,741	90,001	1882			
3,903	3,360	5,163	4,129	884	427,650	277,748	705,398	1881	}	Total of CONNAUGHT, 821,657.	
3,149	3,842	7,466	4,067	513	417,643	271,375	689,018	1882			
De-crease, 754	In-crease, 482	In-crease, 2,303	De-crease, 62	De-crease, 371	De-crease, 10,007	De-crease, 6,373	De-crease, 16,380	Increase or Decrease in CONNAUGHT in 1882.			

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TABLE showing, in Statute Acres, the extent of Land under Crops,

Number.	PROVINCES AND COUNTIES, WITH THEIR AREAS IN STATUTE ACRES.	EXTENT OF LAND UNDER						
		Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Bere and Rye.	Beans and Peas.	Potatoes.	Turnips.
	ULSTER:	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1	Antrim, . . . { 1881, 711,278 acres, { 1882,	4,442 4,505	76,445 77,847	1,358 1,101	39 30	2,485 2,838	46,027 44,974	9,471 9,372
2	Armagh, . . . { 1881, 313,036 acres, { 1882,	7,161 6,789	58,165 57,787	338 138	36 39	505 552	28,150 28,067	7,759 7,469
3	Cavan, . . . { 1881, 467,011 acres, { 1882,	379 368	48,858 45,451	28 22	50 22	13 4	26,358 26,932	2,918 2,589
4	Donegal, . . . { 1881, 1,190,289 acres, { 1882,	671 890	93,989 95,302	2,080 1,891	651 827	458 595	48,668 48,557	14,797 15,039
5	Down, . . . { 1881, 611,927 acres, { 1882,	22,365 22,183	108,094 108,396	635 379	123 93	957 1,075	51,668 49,639	16,313 17,292
6	Fermanagh, . . { 1881, 417,665 acres, { 1882,	579 856	23,252 22,420	50 31	196 159	49 51	18,353 18,574	3,097 3,369
7	Londonderry, . { 1881, 513,386 acres, { 1882,	1,617 1,920	74,698 74,894	2,023 1,942	565 588	514 408	34,437 33,445	12,491 13,174
8	Monaghan, . . { 1881, 318,806 acres, { 1882,	1,049 1,228	55,984 53,977	2,130 1,560	99 70	69 35	21,328 21,321	7,577 7,562
9	Tyrone, . . . { 1881, 778,943 acres, { 1882,	2,088 2,304	108,005 105,262	56 64	220 175	101 67	43,248 42,724	14,815 14,557
	Total of ULSTER, { 1881, 5,322,321 acres, { 1882,	40,551 40,943	643,438 641,246	8,698 8,026	1,979 1,963	5,161 5,423	316,252 312,273	90,918 90,423
	Increase or Decrease in ULSTER in 1882, . {	In- crease, 392	De- crease, 2,182	De- crease, 1,772	In- crease, 4	In- crease, 262	De- crease, 3,959	In- crease, 408
	Total of IRELAND,* { 1881, 20,328,763 acres, { 1882,	153,794 152,720	1,323,319 1,397,304	210,093 187,443	8,062 8,134	11,914 11,218	855,293 837,819	285,212 285,978
	Increase or Decrease in IRELAND in 1882, . {	De- crease, 1,074	In- crease, 3,992	De- crease, 22,650	In- crease, 72	De- crease, 696	De- crease, 17,574	De- crease, 1,254

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CROPS, IN STATUTE ACRES.								Years.	Population in 1831.	Number.
Mangel Wurzel and Beet Root.	Carrots, Parsnips, and other Green Crops.	Cabbages.	Vegetables and Rape.	Flax.	Total under Tillage.	Meadow and Clover.	Total Extent under Crops.			
Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.			
523	1,401	199	921	17,662	100,983	87,347	248,530	1881	}	421,943
263	1,428	202	928	13,340	150,388	87,443	243,831	1882		
641	1,410	138	877	16,019	131,181	45,172	169,353	1881	}	163,177
587	1,285	242	681	12,212	115,828	47,238	163,064	1882		
409	704	833	138	8,807	87,547	60,683	148,230	1881	}	129,476
326	903	1,254	120	6,594	84,605	58,133	142,738	1882		
739	1,205	1,598	813	11,844	177,499	53,989	231,488	1881	}	206,035
481	1,128	1,898	1,089	7,845	175,340	55,348	230,598	1882		
1,230	2,091	341	1,092	28,088	231,498	70,033	301,533	1881	}	272,107
846	2,039	361	959	23,028	226,268	73,060	299,368	1882		
753	724	235	76	3,325	48,687	57,752	108,439	1881	}	84,879
554	589	323	93	2,746	47,467	58,004	105,471	1882		
741	1,786	519	563	18,940	148,844	38,047	186,891	1881	}	164,901
492	1,645	807	441	15,441	145,085	38,965	184,050	1882		
738	681	273	221	15,688	106,089	32,154	188,223	1881	}	102,748
469	638	273	155	12,348	99,634	31,480	131,114	1882		
888	1,460	671	341	23,508	195,401	58,592	251,993	1881	}	197,719
591	1,632	908	245	17,947	186,617	58,779	243,296	1882		
6,722	11,401	4,797	4,842	143,873	1277709	501,771	1,779,480	1881	}	Total of ULSTER.
4,409	11,303	0,328	4,394	111,499	1237150	506,470	1,743,830	1882		
De-crease, 2,313	De-crease, 98	In-crease, 1,681	De-crease, 448	De-crease, 32,374	De-crease, 40,550	In-crease, 4,099	De-crease, 35,800	Increase or Decrease in ULSTER in 1882.		
44,838	31,404	28,498	14,785	147,145	3194340	2,001,029	5,195,375	1881	}	Total of IRELAND.
36,306	30,687	35,948	13,236	113,502	3119275	1,961,773	5,081,048	1882		
De-crease, 8,532	De-crease, 737	In-crease, 8,552	De-crease, 1,547	De-crease, 33,843	De-crease, 75,071	De-crease, 39,250	De-crease, 114,327	Increase or Decrease in IRELAND in 1882.		

TABLE showing the Number and Description of LIVE STOCK

Number.	PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	HORSES.						Number of Mares.	Number of Asses.	CATTLE.													
		Two years old and upwards kept for		One year old and under two years.	Under one year.	Total Number of Horses.	Milch Cows.			Other													
		Agricultural purposes.	Traffic and Manufactures.							Two years old and up- wards.	One year old and under two years.												
LEINSTER :																							
1	Carlow.	1881.	5,201	287	452	1,294	941	8,175	474	2,556	12,153	11,631	10,635										
		1882.	5,314	224	410	1,082	842	7,872	422	2,581	12,018	11,166	11,666										
2	Dublin.	1881.	6,070	100,622	2,338	1,295	674	21,739	321	1,881	15,644	25,933	9,546										
		1882.	5,307	103,500	2,136	1,064	850	20,502	348	1,885	15,904	27,715	10,166										
3	Kildare.	1881.	8,205	706	1,350	2,300	1,236	13,797	548	4,155	12,578	46,539	31,684										
		1882.	8,069	652	1,294	2,156	1,563	13,724	819	4,492	13,207	48,194	21,166										
4	Kilkenny.	1881.	11,608	432	755	2,331	1,809	16,933	1,054	5,345	37,695	25,164	29,133										
		1882.	11,742	458	652	2,032	1,768	10,852	942	4,983	37,647	23,813	28,834										
5	King's.	1881.	8,889	297	652	2,043	1,624	12,505	1,269	8,221	14,749	26,221	17,125										
		1882.	8,685	340	588	1,904	1,628	13,145	995	6,028	14,707	26,132	16,703										
6	Longford.	1881.	4,253	173	272	1,073	1,085	6,856	870	3,066	16,212	11,389	11,079										
		1882.	4,215	147	253	1,036	1,093	6,744	716	3,136	16,635	12,620	12,006										
7	Louth, and Drogheda Co. of Town.	1881.	7,394	593	559	1,217	1,047	10,810	234	1,549	8,798	12,239	7,993										
		1882.	7,292	595	511	1,325	1,207	10,930	222	1,613	8,795	13,870	9,254										
8	Meath.	1881.	9,013	421	1,693	2,411	1,628	15,166	665	3,174	15,222	110,900	32,527										
		1882.	9,122	398	1,703	2,289	1,744	15,316	692	3,140	15,214	114,062	31,696										
9	Queen's.	1881.	9,323	209	816	1,966	1,536	13,850	974	5,333	19,238	24,727	16,848										
		1882.	9,175	328	747	2,035	1,544	13,629	1,169	5,800	20,421	24,369	19,017										
10	Westmeath.	1881.	6,996	220	808	1,102	1,534	11,650	618	4,323	14,921	44,773	25,534										
		1882.	6,899	228	775	1,507	1,558	11,197	630	4,445	15,143	45,922	24,042										
11	Wexford.	1881.	18,960	591	958	3,809	2,542	26,858	1,442	8,118	36,879	25,632	27,685										
		1882.	19,296	746	951	3,310	2,857	27,160	1,478	8,100	37,292	23,419	27,156										
12	Wicklow.	1881.	7,792	478	848	1,747	1,144	12,009	300	3,585	23,671	20,676	16,931										
		1882.	7,719	507	735	1,518	1,043	11,522	343	3,853	23,641	20,176	17,397										
Total of LEINSTER.		1881.	103,702	14,769	32,439	23,588	16,700	171,548	8,509	49,594	227,690	385,514	227,559										
		1882.	102,765	14,973	11,994	21,548	17,503	168,693	8,570	49,256	230,814	361,448	223,908										
Increase or De- crease in LEIN- STER in 1882, .		De- crease	937	In- crease	204	De- crease	695	De- crease	2,040	In- crease	713	De- crease	2,755	In- crease	87	In- crease	392	In- crease	3,124	In- crease	5,534	In- crease	2,709

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Cattle.		SHEEP.				Pigs.			Number of Goats.	Number of Poultry.	Years.	Number.
		One year old and upwards.		Under one year.	Total Number of Sheep.	One year old and upwards.	Under one year.	Total Number of Pigs.				
		Ewes.	Tups and Wethers.									
Under one year.	Total Number of Cattle.											
10,100	44,519	24,824	12,702	22,962	60,078	2,245	19,166	21,411	3,380	176,909	1881	1
10,373	45,125	23,428	11,608	21,328	56,562	2,919	22,090	25,912	3,570	177,909	1882	1
6,560	57,683	21,663	11,876	16,901	50,440	1,081	11,779	13,490	5,327	236,018	1881	2
6,518	60,303	19,810	9,043	10,722	48,181	1,792	14,306	16,098	4,727	224,826	1882	2
11,468	92,249	49,212	31,183	37,375	117,770	1,828	11,168	12,936	3,835	224,310	1881	3
12,557	95,124	45,289	26,638	41,924	113,871	2,837	14,661	17,548	4,103	227,344	1882	3
28,592	120,604	34,159	19,353	31,881	85,393	4,985	34,792	39,777	6,176	410,484	1881	4
29,729	120,043	31,032	17,532	29,698	78,282	5,893	44,000	49,893	5,492	397,457	1882	4
10,070	68,165	36,617	26,095	34,856	97,570	2,127	18,399	20,526	3,910	271,879	1881	5
10,711	68,348	32,878	22,756	31,895	87,529	3,301	24,848	28,149	3,722	271,883	1882	5
12,277	51,557	9,559	5,444	9,137	24,140	2,590	15,310	17,900	7,978	232,324	1881	6
13,115	54,376	9,518	4,045	9,566	23,129	3,217	20,929	24,145	7,555	218,535	1882	6
5,879	34,739	16,583	3,041	13,743	33,367	1,397	9,074	10,471	4,841	241,466	1881	7
6,176	38,095	15,461	4,047	13,291	32,799	1,887	14,509	16,396	4,987	233,370	1882	7
14,692	173,341	63,611	38,266	54,222	156,099	1,423	12,307	13,730	5,968	312,034	1881	8
15,139	178,121	58,238	34,750	53,761	146,749	2,090	17,619	19,709	6,998	318,988	1882	8
13,444	74,277	29,893	16,851	27,600	74,344	3,722	24,299	28,021	5,162	256,324	1881	9
13,662	77,469	26,859	16,106	25,743	68,708	4,410	32,114	36,524	5,491	255,921	1882	9
14,912	100,150	45,349	37,810	45,592	128,751	1,324	15,398	16,722	6,108	275,246	1881	10
15,574	101,461	40,929	34,061	43,317	118,307	1,387	21,098	22,395	6,670	281,186	1882	10
28,287	118,483	47,387	24,093	43,036	114,516	8,496	52,719	61,215	8,023	557,517	1881	11
29,616	117,583	44,750	22,916	42,530	110,186	10,182	68,584	79,766	5,811	565,542	1882	11
15,376	76,654	75,545	50,428	57,249	183,222	2,898	16,308	19,204	7,016	214,509	1881	12
15,775	76,989	69,062	40,532	53,705	163,299	3,347	21,010	24,357	6,935	215,456	1882	12
171,657	1,012,421	453,962	277,223	394,656	1,125,690	34,714	240,839	275,373	65,794	3,408,029	1881	13
178,867	1,031,057	417,279	264,604	333,680	1,045,612	43,313	317,501	360,893	65,501	3,388,097	1882	13
In-crease 7,270	In-crease 18,636	De-crease 36,624	De-crease 32,578	De-crease 10,876	De-crease 80,078	In-crease 8,598	In-crease 76,922	In-crease 85,520	De-crease 163	De-crease 20,923	—	

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Number	PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	HORSES.							Number of Mules.	Number of Asses.	CATTLE.			
		Two years old and upwards, kept for					Under one year.	Total Number of Horses.			Milch Cows.	Other		
		Agricultural purposes.	Traffic and Manufactures.	Amusement or Recreation.	One year old and under two years.	Two years old and up- wards.						One year old and under two years.		
MUNSTER:														
1	Clare,*	{ 1881,	10,845	377	580	2,106	1,568	15,476	484	9,596	51,604	53,605	34,180	
		{ 1882,	10,845	377	580	2,106	1,568	15,476	484	9,596	51,604	53,605	34,180	
2	Cork,	{ 1881,	34,317	2,110	2,546	5,882	6,591	52,546	1,869	11,194	178,284	43,588	64,357	
		{ 1882,	34,389	2,256	2,316	6,192	6,806	51,359	1,875	10,863	177,621	41,978	63,070	
3	Kerry,	{ 1881,	11,159	387	552	1,499	1,798	15,373	2,311	8,765	104,977	24,339	39,584	
		{ 1882,	10,918	601	519	1,021	1,682	14,741	2,366	8,775	103,519	21,725	39,449	
4	Limerick,*	{ 1881,	10,422	912	1,162	1,819	1,350	15,665	1,761	8,330	96,315	24,484	33,187	
		{ 1882,	10,422	912	1,162	1,819	1,350	15,665	1,761	8,330	96,315	24,484	33,187	
5	Tipperary,	{ 1881,	17,963	817	1,543	8,917	2,708	26,947	2,040	12,371	79,656	54,094	62,334	
		{ 1882,	17,822	993	1,403	3,420	2,767	26,405	2,016	13,518	81,080	51,199	69,543	
6	Waterford,	{ 1881,	8,140	557	746	1,859	1,220	12,522	925	4,220	41,639	14,322	16,968	
		{ 1882,	8,402	543	698	1,796	1,294	12,733	942	4,155	41,686	13,682	18,701	
	Total of MUNSTER*	{ 1881,	92,846	5,248	7,728	18,082	13,283	138,329	9,410	64,476	882,475	194,512	292,060	
		{ 1882,	92,798	5,693	6,676	16,354	14,367	136,379	9,444	65,237	861,225	186,173	210,156	
Increase or De- crease in MUN- STER in 1882, .			De- crease 48	In- crease 345	De- crease 450	De- crease 1,728	De- crease 266	De- crease 2,150	In- crease 34	In- crease 761	De- crease 650	De- crease 8,339	De- crease 4,994	
CONNAUGHT:														
1	Galway,	{ 1881,	18,509	871	1,112	4,583	4,328	27,383	1,687	14,763	40,861	66,248	69,442	
		{ 1882,	16,427	884	1,077	3,918	4,518	26,804	1,773	14,730	40,861	61,274	41,938	
2	Leitrim,	{ 1881,	2,637	207	160	588	401	3,963	208	7,984	35,752	12,597	14,772	
		{ 1882,	2,553	180	147	489	436	3,805	232	7,627	38,160	12,199	14,394	
3	Mayo,	{ 1881,	13,041	731	562	2,180	2,896	19,410	1,883	20,424	63,903	48,503	34,537	
		{ 1882,	12,150	529	489	1,970	2,902	18,030	1,734	21,076	53,154	44,948	32,698	
4	Roscommon,	{ 1881,	5,127	290	339	1,649	1,254	8,359	1,593	8,514	28,114	31,928	26,131	
		{ 1882,	5,085	262	520	1,783	1,450	9,100	1,492	8,494	28,160	29,385	32,940	
5	Sligo,	{ 1881,	5,129	308	358	1,296	837	7,930	708	7,806	30,780	19,117	16,143	
		{ 1882,	5,170	288	409	1,236	970	8,073	643	7,726	31,466	19,292	18,365	
	Total of CONNAUGHT.	{ 1881,	42,433	2,408	2,832	10,276	9,716	67,565	6,679	59,491	188,690	179,093	123,933	
		{ 1882,	41,285	2,123	2,632	9,396	10,276	65,802	5,874	59,853	180,361	166,295	131,133	
Increase or De- crease in CON- NAUGHT in 1882, .			De- crease 1,048	De- crease 285	De- crease 180	De- crease 880	In- crease 560	De- crease 1,833	De- crease 205	In- crease 162	In- crease 911	De- crease 11,795	De- crease 882	

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			Sheep.				Pigs.				Number of Goats.	Number of Poultry.	Years.	Number.
Cattle.		Total Number of Cattle.	One year old and upwards.		Under one year.	Total Number of Sheep.	One year old and upwards.	Under one year.	Total Number of Pigs.					
	Under one year.		Ewes.	Tags and Wethers.										
	36,364	136,133	42,375	27,252	38,294	108,121	6,155	35,092	41,847	14,994	423,072	1881	1	
	36,584	136,153	42,375	27,252	38,294	108,121	6,153	35,092	41,847	14,994	423,072	1882	1	
	100,006	386,205	122,093	34,768	107,316	264,165	21,490	123,366	144,856	22,756	1,115,608	1881	2	
	101,272	383,247	118,898	27,294	111,850	257,902	27,041	144,605	171,646	21,202	1,108,112	1882	2	
	50,989	200,739	30,640	10,319	20,970	82,929	6,547	89,083	45,890	23,442	485,142	1881	3	
	51,511	206,304	36,763	14,134	26,564	77,461	8,207	46,060	54,267	21,352	467,408	1882	3	
	59,854	260,840	20,094	13,172	16,378	49,644	6,895	46,241	53,136	9,527	436,538	1881	4	
	59,854	260,840	20,094	13,172	16,378	49,644	6,895	46,241	53,136	9,527	436,538	1882	4	
	57,345	244,029	83,048	42,768	80,034	205,850	0,673	64,867	74,540	12,052	681,816	1881	5	
	60,886	242,708	79,682	26,031	78,189	193,902	12,626	85,668	90,394	12,605	687,835	1882	5	
	22,310	97,839	22,274	6,898	20,430	49,600	6,115	36,604	42,719	4,892	276,793	1881	6	
	22,771	96,840	20,221	7,451	19,105	46,777	7,392	43,109	52,501	4,951	271,748	1882	6	
	327,758	1,297,805	329,714	141,173	389,423	709,399	56,875	345,833	402,728	68,563	3,419,029	1881	7	
	323,658	1,288,902	318,163	135,264	380,389	733,907	60,316	344,573	472,891	84,621	3,394,733	1882	7	
	In-crease, 5,100	De-crease, 8,813	De-crease, 11,551	De-crease, 15,909	In-crease, 858	De-crease, 28,502	In-crease, 11,441	In-crease, 58,522	In-crease, 69,963	De-crease, 3,942	De-crease, 24,298	—	—	
	25,894	173,445	205,412	160,108	165,392	530,912	7,583	46,185	53,788	10,519	757,922	1881	8	
	27,010	170,873	197,873	142,998	168,090	508,759	8,620	60,566	69,225	10,864	750,108	1882	8	
	22,013	84,914	4,839	1,863	4,825	11,347	2,618	16,784	19,302	8,228	311,920	1881	9	
	23,818	86,801	4,212	1,998	4,011	10,221	3,350	21,307	24,657	5,739	311,188	1882	9	
	30,284	166,527	103,019	57,475	90,614	251,108	6,241	42,005	48,240	6,132	677,610	1881	10	
	31,601	162,331	93,563	43,662	83,384	225,509	8,139	54,138	62,277	5,987	632,432	1882	10	
	19,688	109,739	50,758	44,444	42,865	138,087	4,000	24,122	28,181	10,840	466,075	1881	11	
	21,567	102,062	48,316	40,423	44,640	133,379	5,138	32,261	37,399	11,016	449,689	1882	11	
	21,188	89,238	23,056	13,687	23,094	50,887	2,219	16,685	18,904	4,074	345,071	1881	12	
	22,082	91,108	22,664	12,418	23,278	56,288	3,693	23,276	26,969	4,144	326,310	1882	12	
	119,665	617,883	395,804	257,577	328,719	961,271	22,638	145,781	168,421	37,589	2,538,696	1881	13	
	123,906	613,900	389,326	245,495	323,368	986,126	28,949	191,578	220,527	37,730	2,460,725	1882	13	
	In-crease, 6,843	De-crease, 4,923	De-crease, 20,576	De-crease, 31,082	De-crease, 3,487	De-crease, 55,145	In-crease, 8,299	In-crease, 45,797	In-crease, 32,096	In-crease, 161	De-crease, 88,873	—	—	

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TABLE showing the Number and Description of LIVE STOCK

Number.	PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	HORSES.						Number of Mares.	Number of Amos.	CATTLE.			
		Two years old and upwards kept for			One year old and under two years.	Under one year.	Total Number of Horses.			Milk Cows.	Other		
		Agricultural purposes.	Traffic and Manufactures.	Amusement or Recreation.							Two years old and up- wards.	One year old and under two years.	
ULSTER:													
1	Antrim,	1881,	31,360	3,607	1,065	2,033	1,492	22,647	96	576	59,456	18,743	27,808
		1882,	30,686	3,502	1,031	1,678	1,572	22,069	61	533	60,712	17,484	26,704
2	Armagh,	1881,	10,922	833	493	741	763	13,752	236	2,124	30,439	10,561	17,324
		1882,	10,891	533	471	630	725	13,270	218	2,376	30,241	9,086	17,473
3	Cavan,	1881,	7,603	396	336	944	1,006	10,283	1,218	8,131	42,256	15,247	20,174
		1882,	7,485	357	280	866	1,129	10,117	1,205	8,118	42,850	14,338	21,455
4	Donegal,	1881,	19,847	695	353	1,263	1,552	23,709	53	2,265	64,753	23,831	33,489
		1882,	19,434	460	362	927	1,482	22,663	40	2,063	63,097	27,341	34,771
5	Down,	1881,	25,070	1,440	1,059	1,866	1,943	31,378	67	1,382	50,597	16,801	28,835
		1882,	25,325	1,479	1,034	1,727	1,950	31,515	106	1,320	51,110	15,738	29,310
6	Fermanagh,	1881,	5,518	218	307	543	354	6,950	125	4,088	40,286	13,392	12,965
		1882,	5,516	192	258	397	386	6,749	133	3,972	40,422	12,496	13,020
7	Lderry,	1881,	17,053	831	531	1,253	1,081	20,749	27	452	39,393	12,980	20,724
		1882,	16,682	716	521	1,157	1,001	20,977	33	285	40,445	12,300	22,274
8	Monaghan,	1881,	8,607	252	374	639	735	10,607	464	3,571	28,089	9,440	14,732
		1882,	8,630	385	256	634	761	10,666	469	3,476	28,099	9,427	15,384
9	Tyrone,	1881,	20,518	595	439	1,072	1,111	23,735	88	1,073	67,878	16,075	28,302
		1882,	20,303	588	405	847	1,456	23,399	105	942	67,689	15,831	29,700
	Total of ULSTER,	1881,	136,385	9,667	4,947	10,348	10,847	170,212	2,394	23,672	423,187	142,079	264,435
		1882,	135,292	8,382	4,618	8,893	11,392	168,627	2,302	23,085	422,665	131,543	258,721
Increase or De- crease in ULSTER in 1882, . . .		De- crease	De- crease	De- crease	De- crease	In- crease	De- crease	De- crease	In- crease	De- crease	In- crease	De- crease	In- crease
		1,146	535	339	1,680	1,315	2,185	2	587	3,508	10,127	9,298	
TOTAL OF IRELAND,*		1881,	375,375	31,484	27,416	62,269	51,798	548,834	26,392	147,143	1,392,012	460,569	708,738
		1882,	372,300	31,210	25,752	56,161	54,106	539,431	26,286	147,671	1,388,003	457,963	702,333
Increase or De- crease in IRE- LAND in 1882,		De- crease	De- crease	De- crease	De- crease	In- crease	De- crease	De- crease	In- crease	In- crease	De- crease	In- crease	
		3,179	274	1,664	6,126	2,532	8,923	106	728	6,893	24,727	6,205	

* The Returns for the counties of Clare and Limerick not having yet been received, the corresponding Returns for 1881 have been adopted in their stead.

in each County and Province, in the Years 1881 and 1882—continued.

Cattle.		Sheep.					Pigs.			Number of Goats.	Number of Poultry.	Years.	Number.
		One year old and upwards.		Under one year.	Total Number of Sheep.	One year old and upwards.	Under one year.	Total Number of Pigs.					
		Ewes.	Tups and Wethers.										
Under one year.	Total Number of Cattle.												
32,512	188,519	25,897	8,832	22,620	56,949	4,949	41,872	46,821	5,074	450,180	1881	1	
36,125	143,685	24,465	8,826	15,913	53,204	7,036	61,067	68,743	4,776	456,617	1882		
18,684	77,008	3,944	1,070	4,056	8,970	3,027	18,361	21,398	9,250	396,266	1881	2	
19,598	76,396	3,474	811	4,488	8,773	3,663	25,915	29,678	8,660	417,141	1882		
27,120	164,707	6,414	1,508	6,437	14,339	7,057	27,896	34,733	15,442	510,318	1881	3	
29,674	109,217	5,923	1,474	6,053	13,450	9,077	41,588	50,665	15,658	528,657	1882		
37,761	164,844	66,829	29,305	51,160	147,894	3,585	19,320	22,885	3,118	675,700	1881	4	
41,020	168,929	65,152	24,747	50,492	140,391	4,432	31,061	35,493	2,986	683,329	1882		
33,164	129,447	24,113	9,990	22,642	55,745	4,865	26,407	34,372	10,911	636,809	1881	5	
35,158	181,316	22,844	5,040	20,871	48,765	7,299	40,410	53,769	11,432	638,561	1882		
25,107	91,780	2,906	991	2,794	8,691	1,981	14,870	16,851	4,441	390,989	1881	6	
27,224	93,174	2,849	770	2,853	6,472	2,741	22,603	25,346	4,206	388,379	1882		
23,596	95,693	13,339	4,205	12,617	80,101	3,255	20,591	23,946	4,565	309,428	1881	7	
28,113	103,132	13,474	7,462	14,478	35,414	4,149	35,935	40,084	6,130	404,806	1882		
18,031	70,282	4,892	1,314	5,197	11,313	3,001	16,964	19,965	12,305	440,803	1881	8	
18,786	74,286	4,364	1,025	4,489	9,838	4,212	25,780	29,672	12,391	434,360	1882		
42,861	155,116	19,407	7,542	18,984	45,833	3,782	24,635	28,417	8,995	716,315	1881	9	
45,803	157,923	16,543	6,470	16,618	39,631	5,247	38,932	42,179	9,137	774,118	1882		
238,526	1,628,436	187,381	65,037	146,697	378,915	35,432	213,818	249,336	71,202	4,383,779	1881		
291,969	1,683,835	159,055	56,523	146,233	355,948	48,478	327,543	375,319	75,216	4,748,096	1882		
In-crease 22,673	In-crease 25,392	De-crease 8,283	De-crease 8,433	De-crease 6,272	De-crease 22,987	In-crease 12,904	In-crease 113,527	In-crease 126,921	In-crease 1,114	In-crease 160,317	—		
677,246	3,956,556	1,837,371	781,629	1,137,278	3,326,185	148,721	945,188	1,098,828	295,678	13,072,426	1881		
912,142	3,568,947	1,299,357	673,038	1,137,398	3,671,493	189,053	1,240,677	1,429,939	363,243	13,996,651	1882		
In-crease 41,896	In-crease 20,292	De-crease 77,014	De-crease 88,001	De-crease 19,677	De-crease 184,692	In-crease 99,382	In-crease 294,768	In-crease 334,100	De-crease 2,830	In-crease 28,225	—		